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PRICE LIST OF

AFRICAN VIOLET LEAVES
(ROOTED & UNROOTED)

Effective until February 1, 1958

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Plants available in PINK CELEBRITY and SHOW STAR only.

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY BEFORE ORDERING: Prices listed are for unrooted leaves. Whenever possible, however, we will try to fill your order with rooted leaves (in vermiculite). There will be no extra charge if the leaves are rooted. That will be your bonus, and we'll always try to send as many rooted leaves to you as possible. We don't expect to have to substitute, but it will help us immensely if you will name several extra varieties you might like. Then, if we are able to include any free leaves in your order, we'll know what you prefer. Orders received from February 1 until June 1 are filled in order of receipt starting April 1, and are not acknowledged, so that our time can be spent on shipping. Orders received from June 1 through November 1 (the end of our shipping season) are usually mailed within ten to fifteen days of receipt. Orders received from November 1 until February 1 will be acknowledged and booked for spring shipment. Our 1958 list will be ready by March 1958.

PLEASE NOTE: To speed delivery, all orders are sent by first-class mail, using blocks of commemoratives. No orders are accepted under \$3.00, and on orders below \$5.00 please add 50¢ for postage and packing. Airmail is 50¢ extra up to a \$5.00 order and 5¢ more for each \$1.00 of the order above that. We guarantee safe delivery anywhere in the United States. Unused stamps cannot be accepted as payment.

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All leaves are labeled and true to name. Variegated varieties may

bloom a solid color at first, but many come variegated later.

Leaves Of All Varieties On This List Are 50c Each.

See Instructions Above Before Ordering

ALBINO REDHEAD SUPREME--Rounded, spooning albino leaf, large red lavender flower.

ANGEL LACE--Large frilled white flower, blue edging.

BITTERSWEET--"Terrific" is the word for it. Huge, deepest pink fringed flowers on excellent dark red-backed foliage. Not supreme.

BLACK CHERRY--Deepest red lavender single, dark spooning foliage.
BLUE CANOE--Semi-double blue on spooned dark green foliage.
BLUE CLOUD--Variegated deep blue and white double flowers.

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BLUE NOCTURNE--Large double light blue fringed flowers, excellent grower with strong foliage.

BLUE PEAK--Heavy blooming double blue with excellent white edging.

BLUE PINK+-Double bluish pink flowers on girl foliage CAMELLIA--Double light pink on dark girl foliage.

CREAM DELIGHT--Very light double pink on dark girl foliage. DASSEL--Large dark blue double fringed flowers, wavy foliage.

DEE SIX--Huge, bright double pink flowers on girl foliage, not supreme.

DIXIE MOONBEAM--Single white with blue shading and dark blue veining. Very unusual.

DOUBLE BLUE HEIRESS--Large, double light blue, beautiful girl leaf.

DOUBLE CALIFORNIA DARK PLUM--Large, deep double red on dark foliage.

DOUBLE DUBONNET--Another dark double red, round leaves, excellent color.

DOUBLE FANTASY--Double lavender streaked with purple, dark foliage.

DOUBLE FANTASY ANN--Same as above but with nice girl foliage, and extra large flowers.

DOUBLE FANTASY GIRL--More scalloped leaf than above and miniature.

DOUBLE PAINTED GIRL--Good size double lavender and white flowers, very pretty leaf.

DOUBLE PINK CHEER--Very showy variety, large deep pink flowers. DOUBLE PINK GIRL--Very perfect girl foliage, medium double pink.

DOUBLE PINK MERMAID--Large flowered medium double pink, dark girl leaf.

DOUBLE PINK SISTER--Similar to Double Pink Girl but darker leaf.

DOUBLE POLAR ICE--Excellent growing double white just off pink, dark green red-backed foliage.

DOUBLE WONDER GIRL--Shaded blue over white double, girl leaf.

ELIZABETH THE QUEEN--Very large double lavender flowers, at times variegated lavender and white.

EMBER PINK -- Single with a tint of almost true red, color of HOLIDAY.

EVELYN JOHNSON--Medium double pink girl, heavy blooming with large blossoms.

FANTASY EDGE--Single white edged with blue and lavender streaks, shows most color under fluorescent lights.

FRILLED ROSETTE--Wavy double pink, strong growing with excellent foliage. FRIVOLETTA -- Frilled, large double lavender on strong wavy foliage.

FROSTED MADONNA -- Double white girl on unusual white veined foliage. GRAND CHAMPION -- Large medium double pink on strong rounded foliage.

HAVE YOU THESE TEN VARIETIES IN YOUR COLLECTION? all are outstanding and different and described on THIS LIST. THEY WOULD BE AN EXCELLENT START FOR A NEWCOMER TO AFRICAN VIOLETS OR EQUALLY FINE VARIETIES FOR THE ADVANCED COLLECTOR TO ADD. THE TEN WOULD COST \$5.00 POSTPAID (INCLUDING SHOW STAR PLANT).

> BITTERSWEET DIXIE MOONBEAM HOLIDAY LORNA DOONE PINK CELEBRITY

SHOW MAN SHOW QUEEN SHOW STAR SPLASH SWANK

HOLIDAY -- A best seller, darkest double pink, close to cerise.

HOLLYWOOD ACE--A supreme of Gent's Blue Cluster developed by D.C. Nearpass of Beltsville, Md. Huge light blue double and a fast-grower as well. Dark green, rounded spooning foliage.

INDISCREET--Heavy blooming double, light pastel lavender.
LIGHT HONEYBUD--Large double white with pink center often becoming beautifully variegated with darker pink.

LITTLE ARISTOCRAT--Fringed, double dark blue on dark HOLLY type foliage, excellent growing qualities.

LORNA DOONE--Very fringed dark orchid double, good strong foliage, and an excellent bloomer.

MARY THOMPSON--Very large frilled double pastel lavender blooms. Nice contrast between flowers and dark foliage.

MEG--Fringed double orchid bicolor on fancy girl foliage.

METEORE -- Strong growing fringed double lavender, wavy foliage.

MINNESOTA -- Very superior dark double pink, dark red-backed foliage.

MISS MONROE--Excellent large double red on dark rounded girl leaf.

MISS RUFFLES--Fringed single white with blue eye, very pretty and strong grower.

NIP & TUCK--Very strong growing double lavender and white variegated. OLD CHINA--At its best, it is one of the outstanding variegated varieties.

Double deep purple and white but not always true. OLD FASHION--Deep double pink, symmetrically arranged petals, dark foliage.

ONONDAGA CHIEF--Double red-lavender and white, good grower.

PINK ANGEL--Grows into a very large plant, very showy single pink with dark foliage.

PINK CELEBRITY--Large deep double pink on very dark green red-backed symmetrical girl foliage. A most outstanding variety and also available in plants. (See information at end of this list.)

PINK MAMBO--Very bright double pink, large flower on girl foliage.

PINK PRIDE--Large double pink flower on dark red-backed leaf. Flowers are often two-toned.

PINK VALENTINE--Large, deep double pink on pointed dark girl leaf.
PINK WONDER SUPREME--Very large bright pink flower, on heavy foliage. PINK ZEPHYR--Large single white with pink center, often variegated deeper

pink and white. POLYANNA--Very fringed dark orchid single on dark girl foliage:



RAINBOW'S END--Full double red Geneva, excellent white edging.

RED COMET--Deep, wine-red double on round leaf, excellent grower.

ROSE GLOW--One of the best growing dark rose pinks on beautiful dark green, red-backed foliage.

SAINT LOUIS--Fringed, dark blue double on dark wavy foliage.

SEAFOAM--Very pretty, extremely light blue double on dark, nicely-marked girl foliage.

SEA SPRITE--Fringed double, variegated blue and white on bright green wavy foliage.

SELECT PANSY GIRL--Single blue with varying white edge like Pansy, girl leaf.

SHOW CHAMPION -- A new introduction in the Show Series and one of the best. Huge, fully double light-blue flowers on a Dupont girl leaf. An excellent grower and bloomer even though it is a giant.

SHOW MAN--Over the past three years it has been one of our best sellers. We think of it as the best standard white single, because of its huge flowers, heavy blooming, and rapid symmetrical growth.

SHOW QUEEN--Direct sport of Ruffled Queen to albino foliage. Large fringed red-lavender, sturdy growing, and very showy when it is in its

green and white foliage stages.

SHOW SHADOWS--Excellent, large flowered, variegated dark blue and white. Grows into large plant and blooms well in spite of its giant flowers.

SHOW STAR--Leaves of this outstanding variety (See picture and description) do not propagate completely true. Therefore, we suggest that you buy SHOW STAR either in the \$1.00 or \$1.50 size plants, as all plants we sell are guaranteed to bloom true. However, many of you have stated that you want to buy leaves, so we are offering them at 2 for \$1.00 and no less than 2 to an order. This is because there is more chance to get some true plants starting from 2 or more leaves. These leaves will be rooted whenever possible, but since SHOW STAR propagates about 75% true by leaf, the leaves are not guaranteed to produce true plants.

SHOW WINNER--Gigantic two-toned lavender flowers on quilted mediumgreen foliage. A real eye-stopper, exquisite double flowers.

SNOW PRINCESS -- Two-toned lavender single on albino foliage.

SPLASH--Similar to Fantasy but a tremendous improvement with larger and flatter flowers and more profuse purple markings.

SPRING PINK--Very deep single pink, foliage dark and pointed.

STAR #1--Star Sapphire bloom on improved foliage. Larger flower.

STARRY EYED--Variegated dark blue and white single, at times has star markings.

STRIKE ME PINK--Excellent deep double pink, dark girl leaves.

SWANK--If you want the unusual, this is it. Double variegated pink and dark blue with dark red-backed foliage. Propagates almost completely true with unusually marked flowers.

SWIRLING PETTICOATS--Holly type foliage. Single fringed dark blue.

THREE CHEERS--Double fringed white with blue markings.

UNION COUNTY SPOTLIGHT—Nicely marked variegated lavender and white single.

VAN DILLY--Very, very deep single pink on nice dark leaf.

WATERMELON PINK -- Medium double pink on elongated girl leaf.

WHITE MADONNA SUPREME--Large double white on bright girl leaf.

WHITE PRIDE--Our favorite for all-around excellence in the double whites.

Strong growing, spooning foliage, heavy blooming.
WHITE PUFF--Double fringed white on wavy foliage. Strong grower.

NEW WHOLESALE AND RETAIL PRICES ON THESE PLANTS

SHOW STAR (Pink flowers with perfect blue stars.)
PINK CELEBRITY (Deep pink, fully double flowers, dark girl leaf.)

WHOLESALE(Show Star and Pink Celebrity only)--Budded or blooming single-crown plants in 2 1/2" pots shipped express collect @ \$1.00 each. Shipped ONLY in lots of 25 plants. (The two varieties, however, can be mixed.) Also available at our greenhouse. (Open Friday mornings. Other times by appointment.)

RETAIL (Show Star and Pink Celebrity plants only)

Medium size plants grown in vermiculite--\$1.50 each.

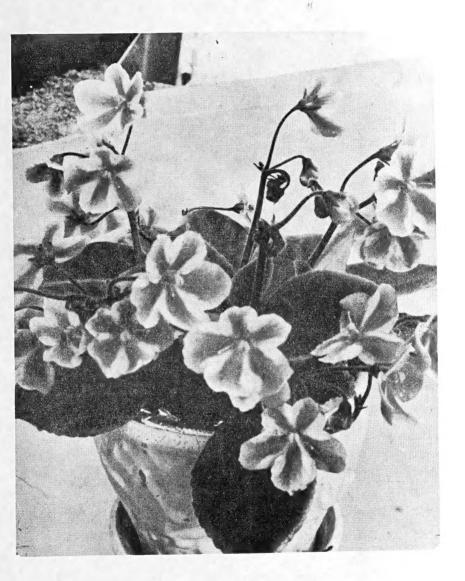
Small plants (5 to 7 leaves)--\$1.00 each.

PINK CELEBRITY

One of the finest all-around, deep DOUBLE PINK GIRLS that we know. It grows very symmetrically, has dark green, red-backed, regular-shaped girl leaves and blooms heavily with good double flowers (not a semi-double).

Leaves of Pink Celebrity - 50c each

SHOW STAR



IT WAS THE MOST OUTSTANDING AND UNUSUAL VARIETY SHOWN AT THE 1955 NATIONAL AFRICAN VIOLET SHOW IN PITTSBURGH!

As far as we know, no other violet can approach SHOW STAR in type of flower and color combination. Imagine this!! Each flower is of true medium pink in color with a perfect wide blue star. And here's the best part of the good news! Unlike most violets with stars in their flowers, THIS PROPAGATES TRUE FROM LEAVES!! It is a seedling I have been working on for several years through the variety Fantasy. Like Fantasy, when started from leaves, it will occasionally produce a plant with solid colored flowers (in this case, pink). However, the greater percentage of plants you start from leaves will be perfectly true and will always continue to produce only pink flowers with blue stars. THIS IS TRULY THE MOST SENSATIONAL AFRICAN VIOLET EVER OFFERED FOR SALE!!

Outstanding and New!!

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FEB 25 Show Winner - Swank

Leaves 50c each

FEB 26 1957 * IMPORTANT!

U.S. Depart Qur business is almost entirely in leaves sold by mail. Only in this way can we give our customers as quick service as possible. However, the greenhouse is open every Friday morning to sell leaves to the local trade and others.

If you are in the area anytime and wish to see me, please don't hesitate to stop. If I am at the greenhouse or my office next to it, please knock or ring the bell so I'll know you want me. Of course, we are very busy in the Spring and early Summer, but at other times of the year we'd be glad to have you drop in. The greenhouse and office are located on Route 19, one mile south of Warsaw.

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